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Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
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Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

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Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180
Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)
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Your ref. no.: U.S. Appln. No. 10/603,132

Please find enclosed for filing in the above referenced case the following:

- 1) 18-page response to Office Action; and**
- 2) 1-page Fee Transmittal Sheet (in duplicate).**

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

This is in response to the Office Action mailed in the above application on March 13, 2006. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begin on Page 2 of this Response.

Amendments to the Claims begin on Page 3 of this Response.

Remarks begin on Page 13 of this Response.

A fee sheet authorizing payment for one new independent claim accompanies this Response.

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